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SUBJECT: CONGRESSIONAL INQUIRY: FISHING BOAT DISPUTE

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1. DEPARTMENT HAS RECEIVED CONGRESSIONAL INQUIRY DATED 2 DECEMBER IN REGARD ALLEGED SEIZURE FISHING VESSEL "MIMI B" BY GOE "BECAUSE OF LEGAL DISPUTE INVOLVING OWNERSHIP AND CONTRACTUAL OBLIGATIONS DUE DARWIN CORPORATION AND B AND B CHARGES ON VESSEL IN MANTA." VESSEL SAID TO BE IN GUAYAQUIL PORT.

2. BECAUSE DEPARTMENT WAS OF IMPRESSION B AND B FISHERIES PROBLEM WAS FINALLY RESOLVED (REFTEL), THIS INQUIRY COMES AS A SURPRISE, AND WE WONDER WHETHER IN FACT THIS MAY BE GARBLED VERSION OF ORIGINAL PROBLEM. CONGEN REQUESTED MAKE INVESTIGATION SOONEST AND OUTLINE WHAT MEASURES NECESSARY FOR RELEASE, IF REPORT IS TRUE. KISSINGER

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